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PETITION TO REVIVE

In response to the Notice of Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.53(f) or (g), Applicants submit this Petition to Revive.

Applicants duly responded to the Requirement mailed March 10, 2004 by filing on March 16, 2004, a set of formal drawings, a Response to Notice to File Corrected Papers and a copy of Notice to File Application Papers. The undersigned personally inspected the documents as they were being mailed, and initialed and dated the postcard, a copy of which is enclosed hereto. The return postcard was received March 22, 2004 in our offices and was stamped on March 18, 2004 by the OIPE.

It is respectfully submitted that no fee is due hereunder, and that the application should be reinstated.

The Patent Office is further requested to conduct an investigation to determine how these important documents could possibly have disappeared or otherwise become unavailable.

If any fee is believed due hereunder, same may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0427.

To the extent any fault is assigned to Applicant or its attorneys, it is respectfully submitted that any abandonment of the application was unavoidable, and relief granted under 37 CFR 1,137(a). No Terminal Disclaimer is believed due in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on 03/10/2004.

· No reply was received.

A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNAVOIDABLE DELAY must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the aboveidentified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(I); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNINTENTIONAL DELAY must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the aboveidentified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to the "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282.Petitions should be mailed to: Mail Stop Petitions, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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